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## PROF. BEGGAR VISITS GRAYLING

A lady giving her name as Margaret Sweeney Anderson, who apparently is a professional beggar, appeared in Grayling on Thursday and Friday of last week and it is not known just how well she may have fared while here. It was her custom wherever she went to appeal to the American Legion posts, to whom she would tell a story of a lost son she was seeking, and would appeal for funds to enable her to continue her journey.

She called at the Avalanche office and started in by telling me things about the Red Cross. As this was the first time we had heard the Red Cross criticised, we asked her to explain which she made a feeble attempt to do and we concluded that she was a fraud and had probably been exposed by that organization. That afternoon she continued her pilgrimage to other fields. She said that she was 65 years old and that her home was in Sioux City, South Dakota.

Later we were able to gain the following information concerning Mrs. Anderson, thru a communication that had been sent out by David F. Tilley, assistant director of war service, of Washington, which reads as follows:

May 18, 1925

RE: Marion S. Anderson, alias Marie Paulson, Mally Lindquist, Marie Hicks, Mary Iris, Delia Hickey, Lizzie Olson, Marie Hanson, Mary Erickson, Mary O'Brien, Margaret Anderson;

To All Home Service Workers:

Word has recently come to us that the above who has been circularized several times by the Red Cross, is again traveling about soliciting Red Cross assistance. Mary Anderson has been wandering about the country for the past 25 years or more, soliciting help from different social agencies and has boasted that she has covered most of the states in the Union with little cost to herself.

In 1919 she began contracting Red Cross Chapters ostensibly to ask about delayed allotment from a son in service. She invariably asked for money to take her on to another town where she had friends who would give her employment. In recent years she has received considerable notice in the papers, having started from South Dakota on foot for Washington in 1920 to interview the late President Harding for the purpose of securing a pardon for her son Joe Anderson who was serving time at Leavenworth for desertion. She did succeed in securing a pardon but the boy was re-arrested at the gate by Federal officers upon another charge for which he was sentenced to serve another year. Mary Anderson again went to Washington and this time secured a blanket pardon covering any offense her son may have committed during his service.

She has recently appeared at Holland Michigan, and enlisted considerable sympathy with her story of searching for a shell shocked son, this time calling herself Mrs. Hicks Anderson Hanson. This is the same son for whom she twice secured a pardon.

Mrs. Anderson is about 65 years old, is gray haired, all her teeth but 2 in front are missing and she has a decided hump on her back. She has been committed to several insane asylums in Wisconsin and Minnesota.

## BAN ON FISHING AND HUNTING

ONLY MAIN TROUT STREAMS BE OPEN NEXT YEAR  
Prohibit Spearing Thru Ice In All Lakes and Streams.

The State Department of conservation has announced a number of drastic changes in the fishing and game laws of Michigan, taking effect Monday, September 21st.

The orders especially effecting this part of Michigan are as follows:

Closing the north and south branches of the AuSable, the Pine and Pere Marquette rivers to trout fishing except with fly; prohibited all hunting in Roscommon township, Roscommon county; Grant township, Cheboygan county; Beringer township, Presque Isle county; Sherman township, Gladwin county; closed season on fishing in Autrain lake, Autrain county, one year, due to the planting of 600 small mouthed bass there this fall, all of breeder size; closed season in hunting in Roscommon township, Emmett county; closed season on pheasants in upper peninsula for five years; closed Ogemaw county for prairie chicken hunting for five years; increase size of small and large mouthed black bass taken in lower peninsula from 10 to 12 inches with bag limit of five in a day or ten in possession at one time; prohibited the trolling from a motor or sail boat.

All trout streams in the state were closed to fishing, but at the next meeting of the commission, the main trout streams will all be opened. The general order on all streams was put into effect, so as to close all feeder streams. Many of these streams are not named, and to give the department the power to designate which streams are feeders, it was decided to close all, and then open the main streams.

Fare and one-half of the current one-way fare is announced by all principal railroads in the United States and eastern Canada.

## MRS. SWENSON KILLED IN AUTO ACCIDENT

Was Former Well Known Resident of Grayling.

A newspaper clipping from South Aberdeen, Washington tells of the very sad death of Mrs. Peter Swenson of that place, formerly a well known resident of Grayling, when the automobile in which she and Mr. Swenson were driving to California plumped over a steep bank, 12 miles south of Dunsmuir, Calif.

The accident which cost Mrs. Swenson her life occurred near the top of a grade in the rough Sacramento canyon between Dunsmuir and Redding. Mr. Swenson drew his car to a halt behind two others which had stopped near the crest of the rise, and got out to put water in the radiator. The car started sliding backward, the brake he defected the steering wheel a trifle, and the car rolled across the road and over the edge, despite all his efforts to halt it. It turned over once. A piece of glass pierced Mrs. Swenson's head, causing instant death.

The Swenson family left Grayling over 15 years ago for South Aberdeen. They were highly esteemed citizens and still have many warm friends here who are sorry to learn of Mrs. Swenson's demise.

Besides her husband, Mrs. Swenson is survived by three daughters, Mrs. Harry Lungberg of San Francisco,

and Mrs. Tracy Vanuca and Mrs. John Nordgren of Aberdeen. The girls will be remembered as Misses Hilda, Gerda and Tyra.

Resolved that, whereas the Contingent fund of the Village of Grayling is overdrawn and whereas, we have several bills pending that should be paid at once,

Therefore be it resolved, that the Village Treasurer be and is hereby instructed to transfer \$5,000.00 to the Contingent fund of said Village of Grayling.

Moved by C. O. McCullough, supported by Moran that the foregoing resolution be accepted, approved and adopted.

Yea and Nay vote called. Yea—Moran, C. O. McCullough, D. Hoesli, G. W. McCullough. Nays—None. Absent—Sales, Burke. Motion carried.

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Moved by C. O. McCullough, supported by Moran that the clerk be authorized to serve notice on the Village treasurer of the resolution authorizing the transfer of \$5,000.00 to the Contingent fund of the Village of Grayling. Motion carried.

Moved and supported that the Board adjourn. Motion carried. Thereupon the Board adjourned.

J. Chris Jensen, Village Clerk.

APPRECIATION

The Crawford County Red Cross chapter wish to thank the public for their fine cooperation in making the regional conference of the Red Cross a success, especially the Ladies Aid society, decorating and music committees, and the various clubs. Also the board of trustees for the use of the Michelson Memorial church, and the Avalanche for its publicity.

The Shenandoah was not the first gas bag, sent out from Washington for political purposes that met with disaster.

Red Cross Committee.

## Success Com-mandments

(By Charles M. Schwab)

1—Work Hard. Hard work is the best investment a man can make.

2—Study Hard. Knowledge enables a man to work more intelligently and effectively.

3—Have Initiative. Risks often

deepen into graves.

4—Love your work. Then you will find pleasure in mastering it.

5—Be Exact. Slipshod methods bring slipshod results.

6—Have the American Spirit of Conquest. Thus you can successfully battle with and overcome difficulties.

7—Cultivate Personality. Personality is to a man what perfume is to a flower.

8—Help and share with others. The real test of business greatness lies in giving opportunity to others.

9—Be Democratic. Unless you feel right toward your fellow men you can never be a successful leader of men.

10—In all things do your best. The man who has done his best has done everything. The man who has done less than his best has done nothing.

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THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 24, 1925

**HASTY MARRIAGES**

An end of the evils attendant upon hasty marriages is seen in the law which recently went into effect in Michigan, which proves that five days must elapse from the date of issuing the marriage license until the time when the marriage ceremony can be legally performed. Professional reformers, who swooped down upon the legislature last spring, pointed out that with such a law on the statute books a part of the divorce evil would be done away with if young people were prevented from entering into hasty alliances and consequent leisurely repentence. It will remain to be seen whether the law works out that way. Other states that tried the experiment found it a costly mistake, young people resenting the state's interference in their love affairs and going in droves to border states where the ceremony could be performed without legal delay or surrounded with red tape measures. It is the opinion of many well-thinking people that the new statute is just another offshoot of the mania for law-making that has swept over the country the past few years.

**PROHIBITION ENFORCEMENT**

The government by appointing Gen. Lincoln C. Andrews director-in-chief of prohibition enforcement, seems determined to take prohibition out of politics and make the Eighteenth Amendment just as much respected as any other law written into the Constitution thru the will of the people. Gen. Andrews will divide the nation into 22 districts and has appealed to big business to furnish him with sufficient high-grade men to put in charge of each district.

The average citizen will read in this announcement a new light on law enforcement in this country. The falling down of liquor enforcement has had a drastic effect on the enforcement of other laws, and whether we agree or not that the liquor problem has been handled in the wisest way, we must at least lend our assistance to the present law if we are to prevent a reign of anarchy from spreading over the country.

WITH the abandonment of the M. & N. E. railroad it seems that the depot building might easily be acquired and converted with little expense into a profitable manufacturing plant. It is built of brick and cost originally \$33,000 to build it. It is nicely located and at present has sidetrack accommodations. Why not somebody with a little cash, an idea and some hustle grab up this opportunity?

**16 Inch****HARDWOOD SLABS****\$1.50**

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**Helper & Clinkofstine****Local News**

Mrs. Ollie McLeod is spending today in Onaway attending the fair held there.

Mrs. Helen Shoemaker and children of Grand Rapids are visiting her sister Mrs. George Sorenson.

Grayling Citizens Band are playing at the Cheboygan county fair at Wolverine this week. The boys are occupying tents and doing their own cooking. Hope they don't freeze to death or starve.

Monica June Hewitt was a charming little hostess to a number of her young friends Monday afternoon in honor of her birthday anniversary. All enjoyed the jolly games and the very nice refreshments served by Mrs. Hewitt.

Miss Laura Sammons entertained a number of her friends at a birthday party at her home last Friday evening. She received many pretty remembrances and her young friends enjoyed themselves very much. Mrs. Sammons served a nice lunch.

Mrs. Clarissa Taylor, widow of the late Adelbert Taylor suffered a stroke of paralysis at her home last Sunday. Her daughter Mrs. William Butler and husband and her son Will Taylor of Detroit, who were called to her bedside arrived Monday.

Two autodrivers of gypsies went through Grayling on M-14 yesterday morning, the women of the band going among the business places, beginning as usual. Sheriff Bobenmoyer was notified and he asked them to make a quick leave which they did, going north.

William Benedict, age 72 years passed away at the Crawford county infirmary Sunday, Sept. 20. Mr. Benedict had resided in Grayling for the past four years and lived at the infirmary for two years. He was born in Canada. The funeral was held Tuesday afternoon.

Word received from Mr. Christ Hanson and his daughter Mrs. Jacobson, husband and children of Saginaw, who a couple of weeks ago left by motor for Oregon, says that they met with an accident on the way in which Mrs. Jacobson and children were severely injured. Mr. Hanson and his daughter who will be remembered as Miss Anna Beck were former residents of Grayling.

Emma Louise, a daughter born to Mr. and Mrs. William Wilson of this city Sept. 14th has a long living lineage, and has the rare honor of having a great-great grandmother. The latter is Mrs. Christina LaMotte, Detroit, age 91 years. The great grandmother is Mrs. Louis La Motte, Grayling, age 72 years; grand mother Mrs. Paul Lovelly, age 41 years; and mother Mrs. Mae Lovelly Wilson.

It is very uncommon to have a great-great grandfather and the chain of ancestors unbroken. Our best wishes to the little Miss.

Ninety-eight vessels are "locked" through the St. Mary's locks at Sault Ste Marie every 24 hours. That means about 100 million pounds of tonnage annually. One hundred fourteen men are employed at the locks. If necessary a vessel can be locked thru in nine minutes.

Railroad trains, thunder and lightning and such little disturbing elements do not bother Rep. Wilbur Show when he goes to sleep. Eighty-two steam and electric and thousand autos pass right by his bedroom window daily. He lives on M-17 near Kalamazoo at a point where a network of tracks are laid.

Crows and hawks, so tourists report, have taken to following autos and haunting the trunk line highway, even in thickly settled parts of the state. They feast on chickens, cats, dogs, skunks and birds that meet death under cars.

A private deer park, with eight dainty specimens of deer, is one of the features of the "close to nature" retreat that lures Dr. J. T. Upjohn from his Kalamazoo home. Dr. Upjohn is one of the representatives in the legislature.

The monument of General Custer that for years has stood in the middle of a fine street in Monroe, where that street intersects with another street and a railroad, has been removed and taken to the Soldiers and Sailors park. It was necessary as a safety-first measure to move the monument which obstructed the view of motorists and resulted in many accidents.

On the trunk line road near White Pigeon is a bronze tablet in memory of Chief White Pigeon who in 1832 ran 20 miles to warn his paleface friends of an impending massacre. The tablet marks the spot where the loyal Indian dropped from fatigue, breathing a warning in his last breath.

Wexford county, so Tom E. Johnson, superintendent of public instruction reports, has a school enrollment of 32 children per each \$100,000 valuation with an average school tax rate of \$15.14 per thousand and an average local tax per enrolled child of \$47.38.

Hankow, China is a wonderful market for Michigan canned fruits and vegetables.

Mackinac Island is an autoless Eden, one of the very few spots in America where autos are not permitted. The horse and buggy still are to be found on the island in all their primitive glory and the tired business man can afford the very essence of quietness on that island.

The Hall Lamp company of Detroit produces most of the auto lamps used by Michigan automobile makers and half of the motorcycle lamps used in this country.

It is estimated that 955,000 autos will be registered in the state of Michigan in 1925.

**ECONOMY!**

"The regulation of household affairs; frugality in expenditure."  
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**LOST—AUTO TIRE, 3 1/2 INCH VACUUM CUP, fabric, on Haynes rim, Monday night, Sept. 21, between Grayling and Wa-Wa-Sun road. Please notify August E. Ferguson, Wa-Wa-Sun, Phone 66-1-1.**

**FOR RENT OR SALE—GOOD house near Hospital. Inquire at Avalanche Office.**

**100 BUSHELS ROSEN RYE SEED** for sale. Mrs. Jens Hanson, Beaver Creek. Address, Grayling.

**FOR RENT—3 or 4 LIGHT HOUSEKEEPING rooms, furnished. Inquire at Avalanche Office.**

**BABY STROLLER FOR SALE** practically new. Inquire of Mrs. H. G. Jarmin, Phone No. 282.

**FOR SALE—CANARY BIRDS**, \$5.00 for singers and \$2 for females. Inquire of Mrs. Frank Cockran.

**FOR SALE—TENT, USED ONLY** short time. Inquire at this office.

**CUT FLOWERS AND POTTED plants for sale. Mrs. John D. Murphy, south side.**

**FOR RENT—3 or 4 LIGHT HOUSEKEEPING rooms, furnished. Inquire at Avalanche Office.**

**FOR SALE—DENTAL GOLD, PLATINUM, SILVER, DIAMONDS, MAGNETO, points, false teeth, jewelry, any valuables. Mail today. Cash by return mail. Hoke S. & R. Co., Otsego, Michigan.**

**FOR SALE—TWO MILK COWS FOR SALE**—FINE MODERN Home Inquire of Hugo Schreiber Sr., Saginaw, Mich. Phone 66-1L-1S.

**FOR SALE—REGISTERED HOLSTEIN BULL**, price \$60.00. Also four Bull Calves, price \$20 each.

8-13-4 Wm. Foley, Luzerne, Mich.

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**FOR SALE—GASOLINE ENGINE, 1 Cow, 1 team, 3 yearlings. Inquire Mrs. McGuire, Deward, Mich. 9-3-4**

**FOUND—FORD ENGINE**, Engine No. 2570455. Owner may have same by calling at the Avalanche office and paying for this Ad.

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**MEN WANTED—10 GOOD MEN** wanted at once for wood loading at DuPont plant. Helper & Clinkofstine Phone 1511.

**IT MUST BE THAT A LOT OF OUR** subscribers are taking the Belgian method of payment seriously and have decided to wait the usual 62 years to pay their subscriptions.

**IT WAS A GOOD THING FOR PAUL REVERE** that his horse didn't have to carry a tail light.

**IT WAS NOT SO LONG AGO THAT 7,500** miles represented the average life of a cord tire, while today, 15,000 miles—and more—is only the usual performance for a Firestone Gum-Dipped Cord.

**IT IS THE DAY-IN AND DAY-OUT SERVICE** of taxicabs, buses and trucks—on the cars of hundreds of thousands of motorists everywhere—Gum-Dipped Cords are giving the heard-of mileage, dependability and satisfaction.

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**LOCAL NEWS**

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 24, 1925

We wonder if Sir Oliver Lodge has succeeded in getting in touch with the zebra who announced last spring this was going to be a cold summer.

Alberta Peaches, A-1 grade, \$2.90 per bushel, at A. & P. Store.

Get a nice fat broiler for your Sunday dinner. Phone No. 7.

McDonnell Poultry Farm.

On October 8, 9 and 10 we will hold a sale on Fur Coats, Jacquettes and scarfs. Grayling Mercantile Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Howse of Maple Forest were called to Tawas City Friday by the death of the latter's sister.

John Boss, wife and daughter of Hobart Ind. spent last week at the home of John Brockman and family, east of town.

George Schable, caretaker of the Military reservoir, who has been seriously ill in Frederic is recovering nicely, but not yet able to be out of bed.

Mr. Michael Berry has resigned his position at the Grayling Greenhouses and will leave in about two weeks to take a position in Indiana. Mr. Berry came here at about Decoration day.

One of our esteemed farmer friends states that he believes that there is as much venison coming into Grayling these days as there is during hunting seasons, and that there are a number of "salt licks" in his vicinity and that he frequently hears shots both during the day and during the night, school.

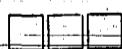
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**H. PETERSEN, Grocer**  
PHONE 25

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**S. B. Variety Store**  
One Door West of the Furniture Store  
F. J. McCLAIN, Mgr.

Grant Cripps of Mid is visiting his brother Russell Cripps and family this week.

Miss Emma Kralich is spending a couple of weeks visiting her home in Baraga, Mich.

Wait for the Manufacturer's Fur Sale on Oct. 8, 9, and 10.

Grayling Mercantile Co.

Emerson Brown left the latter part of the week for Ypsilanti, where he will enter the State Normal college this year.

Mrs. Rasmus Rasmussen, Mrs. M. Younken and baby and James Post and family took in the Gaylord fair one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Rasmus Rasmussen are enjoying a visit from their daughter, Mrs. M. T. Younken and little son Robert of Detroit, who will be here for a couple of weeks.

The choir of the Michelson Memorial church were pleasantly surprised after rehearsals last Thursday evening. A fine hot lunch had been prepared in the spacious new kitchen by a committee from the Ladies Aid.

Mothers, stop darning. Buy your children's hose at Redson & Cooley's Hat Shoppe. Hose guaranteed to wear to your satisfaction, or replaced with new pair. Price 50 cents.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Fletcher are enjoying a visit from the latter's sister, Mrs. Frank Schmidt, husband and son Norman of the Park Hotel, Mt. Clemens. They will be here for a couple of weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Cowell and Mrs. Mary Turner enjoyed a visit from Miss Margaret Cowell and her friend Miss Florence McLean of the Soo, who stopped here a few days the latter part of last week while enroute to Ypsilanti, where they will attend the State normal.

Melton Craft of Frederic was arrested last week for shooting duck out of season. He was tried before Justice William Cox of Frederic to whom he plead guilty. The justice imposed a fine of \$15 and costs, or 15 days in jail. Not having paid his fine he is now serving the 15 days in jail.

Messrs. W. H. Hill and E. J. Leenhouts of the Agricultural division of the New York Central railroad held a most conspicuous place in the exhibition building at the Otsego county fair. The demonstration of the miniature electric train, a fac-simile of those that are now being operated by this railroad, attracted a lot of attention.

Rev. J. Herman Baughn of Michelson Memorial church, who has been in attendance at the State conference held at Flint during the past week, was re-appointed to the Grayling charge. Rev. C. E. Doty, a former well known pastor of the local church, but recently of Caro, was appointed to the First M. E. church at Bay City.

Miss Virginia Hanson who has been spending the summer with her father, T. W. Hanson, has returned to her home in Los Angeles, Calif. She was accompanied by her father as far as Chicago where she was joined by Miss Jennie Ingley who will accompany her for the remainder of the journey. Miss Ingley expects to remain in the west for a few months.

At a regular meeting of St. Mary's Altar society last Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Marius Hanson at Lake Margaret the following officers were elected: President, Mrs. Marius Hanson (to succeed herself); vice-president, Mrs. Ben Landsberg; Secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Louis Kester. A luncheon was served and the afternoon spent playing cards, Mrs. Ben DeLaMeter holding the highest score.

Supt. and Mrs. B. E. Smith left this morning to attend a meeting of school superintendents at Saginaw. They were accompanied as far as Bay City by O. F. Schumann who is to meet with the executive committee of newspaper men in the interest of the annual East-Michigan tourist association, to help plan for the coming annual banquet and program.

John Howse of Maple Forest plead guilty before Justice William Cox of Frederic last week Tuesday to a complaint charging him with having set fire to some slashings and allowing it to spread. He was fined \$25 and costs. Game Warden Speck, who appeared in the case, says that it is his belief that this particular fire was the prime cause for the big fire that got started in Maple Forest township last August burning over about 24,000 acres of land.

The people of Roscommon, Ogemaw and Arenac counties are jubilant over the completion of the graveling of M-76 the last load of gravel being spread at St. Helen Tuesday afternoon. Considerable work must yet be done by Contractors Stackwell & Higgins before the road will be open to public travel, the clay shoulders

on the sides and the cable protection to fill not being all completed, but it is expected that the road will be formally accepted by the state before November 1st.

Twelve friends of Mrs. Cletus St. Pierre completely surprised her on Thursday evening of last week in honor of her birthday anniversary, for when the party arrived at her home that lady had already retired for the night. The evening was spent playing pinochle, "500" and other games, and a delicious pot-luck lunch was served. A lovely birthday cake, illuminated with candles and a bouquet of garden flowers adorned the lunch table. Mrs. St. Pierre was presented with a half dozen sherbet glasses.

Sheriff Bobenmoyer and Deputy Frank May arrested Louis McCormick Monday night for violation of the prohibition law. The specific charge against Mr. McCormick is selling intoxicating liquor. He waived examination and was bound over to the Circuit court for trial, and is out on \$1000 bail. Also on Sunday these officers arrested William Peek of Frederic at his home about two miles east of that town, where the latter was found up stairs in the act of manufacturing moonshine, according to the officers' report. Here they found a still, 30 gallons of mash and two and a half gallons of moonshine whiskey. Peek too is out on \$1000 bail, awaiting trial in Circuit court, which will convene on Tuesday afternoon, October 1st.

Your made-to-order hats will be taken care of again this season by Miss Amborski. We will be pleased to have your patronage.

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1 Rack of Coats in all wool  
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DOUBLE DECK SPRING	9.00
CONGOLEUM RUG 9x12	5.00
CUPBOARD	9.00
MORRIS CHAIR, heavy frame in good condition	14.00
LIBRARY TABLE, Golden Oak	14.00
BABY CARRIAGE	12.00
SIDEBOARD, Solid Oak	12.00

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The Home of Dependable Furniture. Phone 79

Apples for sale at the Ward Or-  
chard, Frederic. 9-10-1

Carl Nelson left Sunday night for  
Detroit, where he will remain indefi-  
nitely.

The two Women's clubs together

with the Board of Education are giv-

ing a public reception for the teachers

Saturday evening at eight-thirty

o'clock. Music for dancing will be

furnished by Schram's Ramblers.

Hans Petersen was called to Oxford

Saturday night by the illness of Mrs.

Petersen, who was visiting her daugh-

ter Mrs. James Olson. Word received

that she was removed to Harper

hospital, Detroit, where she is under-

going X-ray treatments.

Murcel Louis, the 14 months old son

of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Niederer passed

away at their home at 9:00 o'clock

Tuesday morning after a month's ill-

ness. This is the first break in their

little family circle and the parents are

deeply grieved over their loss. Mrs.

Niederer was formerly Miss Leah

Skinner.

The people of Gerrish township,

Roscommon county, wish to extend

their thanks and appreciation to the

business men of Grayling for their

kind contribution of \$100.00, which

they will use in the erection of a new

church, which is now under construc-

tion.

A. E. Hendrickson.

The Grange picnic that was held at

the Charles Corwin farm, known as

Oak Grove farm last Saturday was

much enjoyed by those who were not

aided by a little rain, which made the

forenoon a little unpleasant. The

sun shone nice and warm in the after-

noon however and the races and con-

tests caused fun for every one. The

dance in the evening was attended by

a large crowd. There will be another

dance next Saturday night, Sept. 26th

at the same place, to which everyone

is invited, and a good time is assured

for all.

Mrs. Marguerite Montour, book-

keeper and stenographer at the Drs.

Keyport and Clipper offices is en-

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SALE LASTS 7 DAYS ONLY--AT FRANK'S

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from \$5.85 up. Ladies' Aprons worth \$1.25 for 89c.

Don't miss the SPECIAL BARGAINS at this Great Fall Money-Saving Sale!

Men's Goodrich Thigh Boots worth \$7.00, at this Sale for \$5.99. Goodrich Boots worth \$5.00 for \$3.99. Ladies High-cut Hiking Boots worth \$5.00 for \$3.98; 16 inch Hiking worth \$7.00 for \$5.99. Men's heavy wool home-spun Socks for sportsmen, hunters and working men. One lot of Wool Socks at 40c a pair; 3 pairs for 99c. Remember, the Sportsmens' all red and all green Socks for only 79c a pair. Cotton Bats 10c, 3 for 25c. 150 pairs Ladies' Shoes \$5.00 and \$6.00 values, for \$1.98.

Working Men Take Notice--Overalls and Jackets worth \$2.00 for \$1.69; and others worth \$1.75 for \$1.49 a pair. Men's Cotton Union Suits for \$1.69 and up. Wool Union Suits at \$3.98 are wonderful bargains. Hand-bags at low prices. All roads lead to Frank's.

The Lemon Colored Store on the Hill! Frank Dreese, Yours to Please.

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1 All used cars offered to the public shall be honestly represented.  
If a car is suitable only for a mechanic who can rebuild it, or for some one who expects only a few months rough usage on a camping trip, it may be sold on that basis. Each car must be sold for just what it is.

2 All Studebaker automobiles which are sold as CERTIFIED CARS have been properly reconditioned, and carry a 30-day guarantee for replacement of defective parts and free service on adjustments.  
This is possible because tremendous care is taken by every Studebaker, which is impossible to exhaust in words.

3 Every used car is conspicuously marked with its price in plain figures, and that price, just as the price of our new cars, is rigidly maintained.  
The public can deal in confidence and safety only with the dealer whose policy is "one price only—the same price to all." For, to sell cars on this basis, every one of them must be honestly priced to begin with.

4 Every purchaser of a used car may drive it for five days, and then, if not satisfied for any reason, turn it back and apply the money paid as a credit on the purchase of any other car in stock—new or used.  
It is understood, of course, that the car has not been smashed up by collision or other accident in the meantime.

Not only to the public, but also to The Studebaker Corporation of America, whose cars we sell, we pledge adherence to the above policy in selling used cars.  
**Allen Schreuer, Gaylord, Mich.**  
Dealer for Crawford and Otsego Co.

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## FRENCH BLAST RIFFS FROM EL BIBANE PEAK

Take Rock-Rimmed Fortress  
From Tribe-men After Ter-  
rific Fighting.

Rez, France: Morocco.—Bombs and bullets from 150 airplanes and 10,000 men blasted 1,000 Rifians from the rock-rimmed fortress of El Bibane peak when the French launched a furious counter attack against the precipitous stronghold.

The twenty-five air squadrons, including naval goliaths, bombed the heights for hours before the ground forces advanced. Bibane had been captured the day before by a sudden riflemen assault, and the French sought vengeance. While the planes drizzled death from above, field guns hurled shrapnel into the Rifian position, 2,500 feet above the valley.

When the infantry was unleashed against the Rifians, after artillery and aerial preparation, the soldiers halted only long enough to bring their machine guns into place before rushing forward for the crazy scrumming assault on the peak where they hoped to obliterate the memory of the costly defeat by a liberal shedding of Rifian blood.

The enemy replied with a burst of concentrated rifle fire, the riflemen being sheltered by tumbled rocks, but the attackers covered the first 500 yards with slight losses.

Reaching the outer works, the French clambered over, smashed through the Rifian barbed wire and poured into the fort.

The Rifians fled helter skelter down the eastern slope, hoping to escape into the defiles on the other side of the valley. But they were caught at the bottom, where the slope eases into the valley contour, under the fire of armored cars and tanks and the Melah native cavalry, which had girdled the mountain while the battle was proceeding on the summit. These horsemen took many Rifians prisoners.

The bulk of the infantry, in one attacking column, climbed crests a mile to the north of Bibane.

Bayonets and grenades forced the Rifians out of the blockhouse at Dar Rezzouk, and for the first time the attackers could see the Rifians massed at the summit of El Bibane. By noon the engagement was over, and the defenders who had escaped capture were fleeing into the jagged country to the north.

## Public Inquiry of Air Service Wins Approval

Washington.—Public inquiry into the air service of the government was determined upon here by the special board created by President Coolidge to investigate this branch of the national defense and to devise the best means for its improvement.

The members of the board, after a preliminary meeting with the President, followed by luncheon at the White House, announced the decision that public hearings would be conducted here.

Dwight W. Morrow of New York, friend of the President and a member of the firm of J. P. Morgan & Co., was chosen chairman of the board.

A true copy.

George Sorenson,  
Judge of Probate.

8-27-3

## Report Snoring Snake

Natives of Brazil and Bolivia claim that the black anaconda when asleep makes a loud snoring noise. It is called the "dormidera" or snorer.

## NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of the money secured by two certain mortgages, one executed by George N. Sheldon, of Broadwater, Nebraska, to the Frederic Bank of Paul R. Dinsmore & Company, of Frederic, Michigan, which mortgage was recorded in the Register of Deeds office of Crawford County, Michigan, on the 8th day of June, 1920; in Liber H. of mortgages, on page 831; and the other mortgage, dated February 26th, 1921, being executed by George N. Sheldon and his wife, Lydia A. Sheldon, of Frederic, Crawford County, Michigan to Sarah E. McKay, of the same place, which mortgage was recorded in the Register of Deeds office for said county, on March 1st, 1921, in Liber H. of mortgages, on page 837, which last mentioned mortgage was assigned by assignment, dated April 1st, 1921, by said Sarah E. McKay to the Frederic Bank, which assignment was recorded in the Register of Deeds office for said county, on July 27th, 1921, in Liber F. of mortgages, on page 524, and the sum of Thirteen Hundred Twenty-four and 80-100 (\$1324.80) dollars, is due on said mortgages jointly on the date hereof, for principal and interest, the notes secured by said mortgages having been consolidated into one renewal note of the principal in the sum of Twelve Hundred Eighty (\$1280.00) dollars; and to which is added an attorney fee of Thirty-five (\$35.00) dollars, as provided by statute, and no suit or proceedings having been instituted at law to recover the debt now claimed to be due on said mortgages, either of them, or any part thereof, both of said mortgages will be foreclosed by sale of the premises hereinabove described by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgages, which sale will be made at public auction, at the front door of the court house, in Grayling, Crawford County, Michigan, (that being the place where the Circuit Court for the county of Crawford is held) on the 2nd day of November 1925, at twelve o'clock noon, which premises described in said mortgages are as follows:

All those certain pieces or parcels of land situated and being in the Township of Frederic, County of Crawford and State of Michigan, to wit:

The Southwest quarter (SW 1/4) of the Southwest quarter (SW 1/4); the Northeast quarter (NE 1/4) of the Southwest quarter (SW 1/4); the East one-half (E 1/2) of the Northwest quarter (NW 1/4); and the South one-half (S 1/2) of the North one-half (N 1/2) of the Southeast quarter (SE 1/4); all in Section twenty-six (26), Township twenty-eight (28), Range four (4) West.

Dated July 25th 1925  
Frederic Bank of Paul R. Dinsmore & Co.

By Paul R. Dinsmore  
Mortgagor.

W. B. Henry,  
Attorney for Mortgagor,  
442 Shearer Bldg.,  
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Any information and first proceeding in connection with this Court will be had at my office at Sorenson Bldg.,  
GEORGE SORENSEN  
Judge of Probate.

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PROBATE NOTICE  
STATE OF MICHIGAN,

The Probate Court for the County of Crawford.

At a session of said court held at the probate office in the Village of Grayling in said county on the 26th day of August, A. D. 1925.

Present: Hon. George Sorenson, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Alexander C. Wilcox, deceased.

George A. Wilcox, executor, having filed in said court his final administration account, and his petition praying for the allowance thereof and for the assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate.

It is ordered, that the 14th day of September, A. D. 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office;

for examining and allowing said account and hearing said petition;

It is further ordered, that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Crawford Avalanche, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

George Sorenson, Judge of Probate.

8-27-3

MORTGAGE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of the money secured by a mortgage dated September 15, 1922

executed by Joseph A. Denno and Elenor Denno his wife, to Laura Ette Wagner which said mortgage was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Crawford County, Michigan.

Information on page 804.

Whereas the amount claimed to be due on said mortgage at the date of this notice is \$2,241.41 for principal, interest and taxes, and \$35, attorney's fees provided by law, which is the whole amount claimed to be unpaid on said mortgage; and no suit or proceedings having been instituted at law to recover the debt now remaining secured by said mortgage or any part thereof; whereby the power of sale therein contained has become operative.

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the said power of sale and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by sale of the said premises therein described at public auction to the highest bidder at the front door of the Court House in Grayling in said county of Crawford on Saturday, October 24th, 1925, at 10 A. M., which premises are described as follows:—The north half of northeast quarter, and the northwest quarter of northwest quarter, of section 10, Town 25, north range four west, Crawford County, Michigan.

Dated July 29, 1925.

Laura Ette Wagner, Mortgagee.

Merle F. Nellist, Attorney for Mortgagor.

Business address,

Grayling, Michigan. 7-30-13

Keep it always in your home.

1925 Death Rate Lower

Washington.—The death rate for the first seven months of 1925 will be lower than the average of the last five years, despite many "heat wave" deaths, Surgeon General Cummings said.

Jockey Killed During Race

Salt Lake City.—W. Muges, nineteen-year-old jockey, was fatally injured when he fell from his mount, Luminous, W. the first race at the Utah Racing Association track here.

Really Simple